

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Christian Wienands  
Michael Unglaub

Serial No: 09/893,913

Filed: June 28, 2001

For: PROCESS AND DEVICE FOR THE  
PLACEMENT AND FIXING OF A  
SHEET OF FILAMENTS FOR THE  
PRODUCTION OF SCRIMS

Group Art Unit: 1774

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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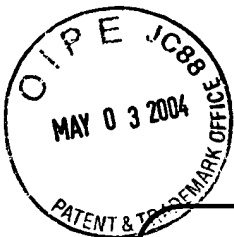
In response to the Office action of January 22, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification:** Please delete "Process and" from the Title of the application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** have not been made

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.



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